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SUBJECT: CONSUMER/PRODUCER PREPARATORY CONFERENCE: THE RAW  
MATERIALS LINKAGE

REFS: A) EC BRUSSELS 1197

B) EC BRUSSELS 1196

1. WE HAVE OBTAINED FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE DISCUSSION OF  
THE CONSUMER/PRODUCER PREPARATORY CONFERENCE BY THE EC FOREIGN  
MINISTERS AT THEIR COUNCIL MEETING ON FEBRUARY 10-11. WE  
UNDERSTAND THAT THE MINISTERS DISCUSSED THE ALGERIAN DESIRE  
THAT THE CONFERENCE CONSIDER NOT ONLY OIL BUT ALSO OTHER RAW  
MATERIALS. MOST MINISTERS, REPORTEDLY, WERE NOT IN FAVOR OF  
THIS SUGGESTION. FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SAUVAGNARGUES TOLD  
HIS COLLEAGUES, HOWEVER, THAT HE THOUGHT THE ALGERIANS WOULD REMAIN  
FIRM IN THEIR DEMAND THAT RAW MATERIALS BE INCLUDED ON THE  
AGENDA OF THE CONFERENCE. HE FURTHER INDICATED THAT THE OTHER  
PARTICIPANTS IN THE CONFERENCE SHOULD NOT OBJECT TO THIS  
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BECAUSE SUCH OBJECTIONS COULD TORPEDO THE CONFERENCE.

HE THOUGHT PUTTING THE ITEM ON THE AGENDA NEED NOT BE SIGNIFICANT.  
HE BELIEVED THE ALGERIANS WOULD NOT PRESS FOR EXTENSIVE DIS-  
CUSSION OF THE RAW MATERIALS QUESTION.

2. BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY CALLAGHAN SUGGESTED THAT THE RAW  
MATERIALS QUESTION BE ADDED TO THE AGENDA FOR THE MARCH 10-11  
EUROPEAN COUNCIL OF HEADS OF GOVERNMENT IN DUBLIN. AS REPORTED  
REF A, PARA 3, THIS WAS INDEED DONE. (WE HAVE SINCE LEARNED  
THAT COUNCIL PRESIDENT FITZGERALD, WHEN HE USED THE PHRASE,  
"THE UN CONFERENCE ON RAW MATERIALS," WAS REFERRING TO THE 7TH  
SPECIAL SESSION OF THE UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY SCHEDULED TO TAKE  
PLACE IN THE FALL.) GREENWALD

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